

Pennsylvania Broilers

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Pennsylvania Broiler Placements Down 4 Percent from the Previous Week

Pennsylvania: Broiler chicks placed in the Commonwealth during the week ending July 8, 2000, were 2,619,000, down 4 percent from the previous week and 6 percent less than the corresponding week a year earlier. Placements during the past 9 weeks were 2 percent below one year ago. Settings for broiler chicks were 3,824,000, up 6 percent from the previous week and 2 percent more than the same week a year ago. The current 3-week total of eggs set is 2 percent below the comparable period last year.

Fifteen States: Broiler chicks placed in the 15 selected States were 147,709,000, down 2 percent from the previous week but 1 percent more than the

corresponding week a year earlier. Placements during the past 9 weeks were 1 percent above one year ago. Settings for broiler chicks were 177,036,000, up 1 percent from the previous week but 1 percent less than the same week a year ago. The current 3-week total of eggs set is 1 percent below the comparable period last year.

Expected Marketings: Expected marketings, based on placements 7-9 weeks earlier, less mortality allowance, in Pennsylvania for the week ending September 2, 2000, will be 2,652,000, 4 percent less than a year earlier. The 15 States expected marketings should total 144,783,000, up 1 percent from the previous year.

Broilers Placed, Eggs Set, Expected Marketings

Period Covered	Pennsylvania			15 States		
	Number (000)	Percent		Number (000)	Percent	
		Previous Week	Year Earlier		Previous Week	Year Earlier
Broilers Placed						
Past Week	2,619	96	94	147,709	98	101
Past 9 Weeks . .	24,611	-	98	1,343,831	-	101
Eggs Set						
Past Week	3,824	106	102	177,036	101	99
Past 3 Weeks . .	11,188	-	98	534,328	-	99
Expected Marketings						
Week Ending:						
Sep. 2, 2000 . .	2,652	-	96	144,783	-	101

Poultry Slaughter: Broiler-fryers slaughtered in Pennsylvania under Federal Inspection during the week ending July 1, 2000, totaled 2,105,000 head with an average live weight of 5.28 pounds.

Broiler Eggs Set, 15 Selected States

State	:	Week Ending					
	:	Jun 3	Jun 10	Jun 17	Jun 24	Jul 1	Jul 8
	:	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000
	:	Thousand					
AL	:	29,331	29,323	*28,978	27,859	28,217	28,231
AR	:	30,846	30,943	30,644	30,043	29,917	28,537
DE	:	4,362	4,182	4,408	4,373	3,819	4,065
FL	:	2,894	2,895	2,814	*2,854	2,855	2,761
GA	:	32,115	32,006	31,082	31,203	30,086	30,259
MD	:	8,756	9,043	8,325	9,176	8,594	8,425
MS	:	18,710	18,232	18,217	17,323	*17,367	17,579
NC	:	18,491	18,626	18,485	18,236	16,807	17,519
PA	:	3,777	3,679	3,528	3,764	*3,600	3,824
SC	:	4,899	4,958	4,672	4,906	4,896	4,681
TX	:	14,451	*14,422	*14,391	*14,423	*12,601	13,774
VA	:	6,760	6,545	6,547	6,503	6,184	6,327
CA, TN, & WV	:	11,332	11,162	11,319	11,325	10,361	11,054
15 State Total	:	186,724	*186,016	*183,410	*181,988	*175,304	177,036
Previous Year	:	183,766	185,387	183,331	180,367	179,742	179,244
Pct. of Prev.	:	102	100	100	101	98	99

* Revised

Broiler Chicks Placed, 15 Selected States

State	:	Week Ending					
	:	Jun 3	Jun 10	Jun 17	Jun 24	Jul 1	Jul 8
	:	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000
	:	Thousand					
AL	:	21,808	21,345	21,961	21,561	21,712	22,009
AR	:	24,562	24,940	24,286	25,062	25,510	24,510
DE	:	4,833	4,842	4,914	5,062	*5,593	5,488
FL	:	2,478	2,445	2,184	2,511	2,569	2,324
GA	:	26,144	25,733	25,845	25,329	*25,426	25,430
MD	:	5,936	5,960	5,909	5,874	*5,937	5,480
MS	:	15,681	15,803	15,916	15,754	15,456	15,119
NC	:	14,628	14,258	14,662	14,743	14,447	14,509
PA	:	2,739	2,741	2,755	2,845	*2,737	2,619
SC	:	3,742	4,160	3,818	3,828	4,579	4,105
TX	:	*11,588	*11,243	*10,660	*11,244	*11,371	11,338
VA	:	5,534	5,664	5,350	5,792	5,038	5,216
CA, TN, & WV	:	10,049	10,076	10,647	*10,207	*9,888	9,562
15 State Total	:	*149,722	*149,210	*148,907	*149,812	*150,263	147,709
Previous Year	:	147,860	146,905	148,570	147,965	147,213	146,774
Pct. of Prev.	:	101	102	100	101	102	101

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